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INTERMUNE, INC.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA
SAN FRANCISCO DIVISION

SHIONOGI & CO., LTD.
a Japanese company,

,

Plaintiff,

v.

INTERMUNE, INC.
a Delaware corporation.,

Defendant.

CASE NO. 3:12-CV-03495-EDL

**CONSENT TO PROCEED BEFORE A
UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE**

Complaint Filed: July 5, 2012

Magistrate Judge Elizabeth D. Laporte
Courtroom E – 15th Flr.

**DEFENDANT INTERMUNE'S CONSENT TO PROCEED BEFORE
A UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE**

In accordance with the provisions of Title 28, U.S.C. Section 636(c), the undersigned party hereby voluntarily consents to have a United States Magistrate Judge conduct any and all further proceedings in the case, including trial, and order the entry of a final judgment. Appeal from the judgment shall be taken directly to the United States Court of Appeals for the Ninth Circuit.

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1 Dated: August 13, 2012

Respectfully submitted,

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